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Venice, January 14.

THE Day after the publick Devotions for the Chriſtmas Holy-days were finiſhed, a Proclamation was publiſhed forbidding all Perſons in Masks to carry Arms of any Sort, under the ſevereſt Penalties. The Captain of a Ship which is come from Corfu in ſix Days reports, that all was quiet in thoſe Parts, that the Captain-General Piſani was careening all the Ships of the Line of Battle, and that General Schulenbourg was preparing every thing neceſſary for making an early Campaign. Two new Ships of War of the ſecond Rate are ready to ſail with the firſt Tranſports to reinforce the Fleet at Corfu: A Convoy is preparing, and great Quantities of Ammunition and Proviſions are putting on board; and Yeſterday was put on board the fine Marble Statue of General Schulenbourg, which by a Decree of the Senate is to be ſet up in the Market-Place of the Town of Corfu, in Memory of his brave Defence of that Place againſt the Ottoman Army and Fleet.

Vienna, Jan. 15. On the 20th Inſtant the three Regiments of Foot of Guido Staremberg, Maximilian Staremberg, and Wetzel, are to begin their March from Hungary to Fiume, a Port of Frioul in the Adriatick, from whence they are to be tranſported by Sea to the Kingdom of Naples. 'Tis adviſed from Venice, that they had an Account there that the Spaniards deſign to ſend a Squadron to cruiſe in the Adriatick, and hinder the Tranſportation of the Imperialiſts; which News does not a little perplex the Venetians, ſince in ſuch a Caſe that Republick may be obliged to come to Hoſtilities with the Spaniards, as well for maintaining their Soveraignty of that Gulph, as for other Reaſons. Two Days ago the Affair of Rhinfeld was decided, againſt the Landgrave of Heſſe Caſſel; and the proper Orders are ſent to the Directors of the Circle, for executing the Sentence, and putting the Prince of Heſſe-Rhinfeld into Poſſeſſion of that Fortreſs. Count Wackerbaert, the King of Poland's Miniſter, ſet out from hence four Days ago for Leipſick, where he is to meet his Poliſh Majeſty, and give him an Account of the State of his Negotiations here. Count Schwerin, the King of Pruſſia's Miniſter at this Court, is recalled.

Paris, Jan. 29. On the 26th of this Month, the Deputies of the Parliament had Audience of the King, being conducted by the Marqueſs de Dreux great Maſter of the Ceremonies, and introduced by the Marqueſs de la Vrilliere Secretary of State. M. de Meſmes, firſt Preſident, in a Speech to his Majeſty repreſented to him what the Parliament had agreed upon. And his Majeſty returned Anſwer, in very obliging Terms, that this Repreſentation ſhould be conſidered, and the Parliament ſhould receive his Pleaſure upon it.

Bruſſels, Jan. 26. On the 20th Inſtant Field-Marſhal Count Vehlen ſet out from hence for the Court of Vienna, after having taken a Review of the two Imperial Regiments of the Teutonick-Maſter and of Baden, in order to make Report to Prince Eugene what Condition they are in; and 'tis thought they will be ſent for to be employed in Hungary and Italy, there having been great Deſertion from them ſince they came into this Country. Count Vehlen was recalled by the Court of Vienna, and will not return to command in Chief the Troops in theſe Provinces, becauſe of the Differences that have riſen between him and the Marqueſs de Prié. Adjutant-